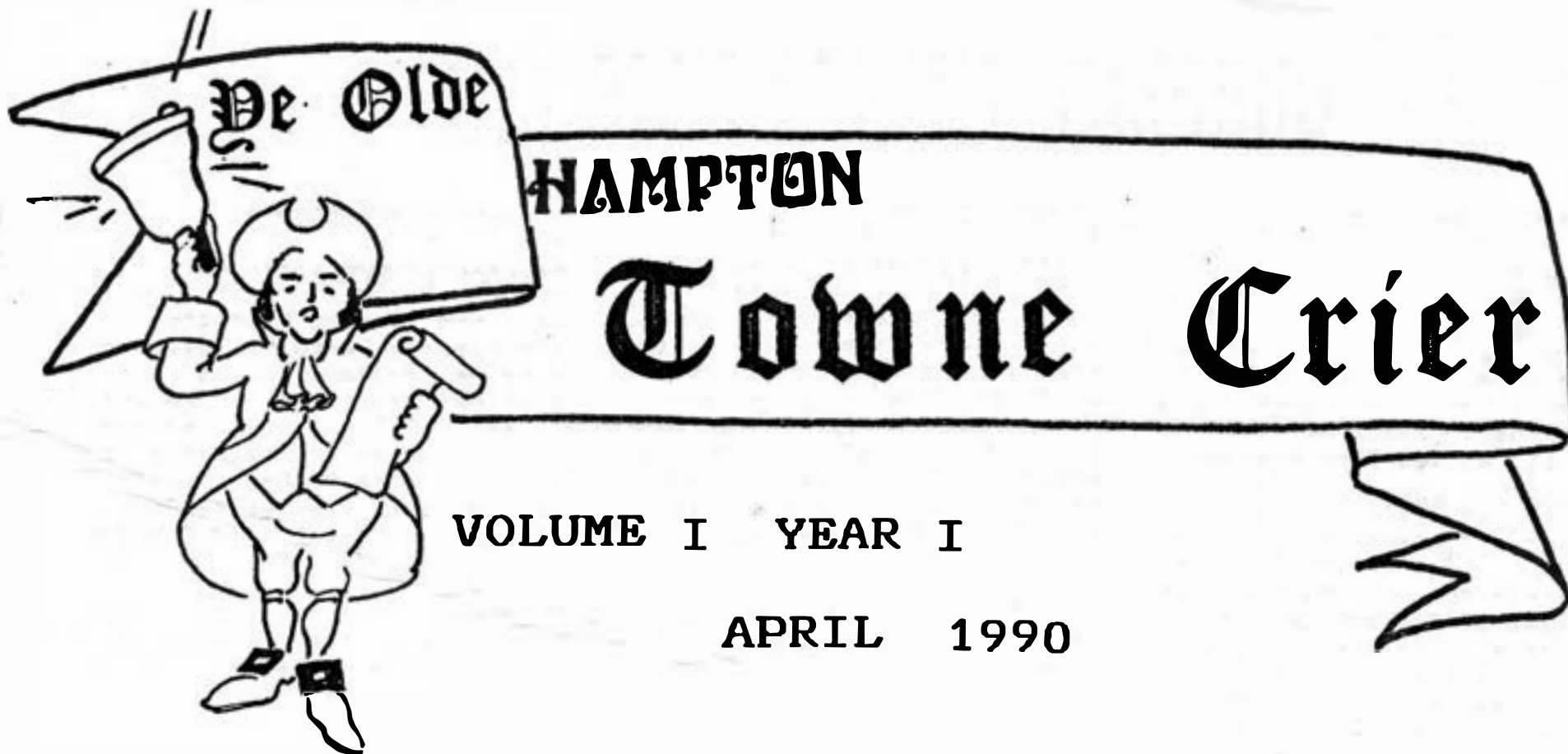




HAMPTON WELCOMES NEW POLICE CHIEF!

Last November Terry Ott was hired as the new Hampton Police Chief. Terry sports an impressive list of credentials in law enforcement. His career was initiated at the Hawkeye Technical Institute through Black Hawk College. He is certified in both Iowa and Illinois. Along with dozens of speciality courses in Law Enforcement, Terry has taken graduate studies at the Cedar Rapids Police Academy, Peosta Community College of Dubuque County, and Iowa Law Enforcement Academy.

Through the hiring of Officer Ott, we have also acquired an officer with an expertise in the drug arena. Terry served as an undercover narcotics detective. It's comforting to know we have someone of Terry's caliber keeping an eye on our home turf.

Terry was literally born into his profession. His father is now a retired police officer from Rock Island. Terry, his two brothers, and one sister have all elected to follow their father's lead and are officers of the law. What a tribute!

In the 16 years as an officer, Terry relates that he has been shot at, stabbed, and beaten up. Probably some of the most frustrating aspects of the job would include the mountains of required paperwork coupled with the court delays and lack of jails to retain the felons.

On the lighter side, we find that Terry and wife, Linda, are natives of our area. Terry was born in Rock Island while Linda hails from Rapid City. Their respective parents still reside

in their home towns. If the Ott's parents are anything like the rest of us, they're probably elated to have the grandchildren back within spoiling distance.

The children in question number three. They are Linda 12, Milisa (with one "s") 9, and Doug 5. Over the last eleven years the Ott family served in Wilton, Ia, the Delaware County Service Dept. and the City of Manchester, Ia.

The girls share a love of horses, while Dad enjoys hunting, fishing and camping. Give Doug some toy cars and he's happy. Mom takes her respite in a good book. Completing the family portrait, is a miniature Poodle named Petey. "Best watchdog they ever had."

LeCLAIRE TO PUT HYDRO ELECTRIC PLANT AT HAMPTON'S FRONT DOOR AND RUN THE POWER LINES DOWN HER BACKYARD!

As difficult as it is to believe that an Iowa municipality can locate its' own money-making project at the possible site of an Illinois town's growth potential, that is the case at hand. LeClaire, of course, wants the multi-million dollar venture to go through at they propose. The stand they take is that the plant will produce electricity with no air pollution; that they can produce it cheaper and undercut the bigger monopolies; and that, along with making them a healthy profit, they will be adding tax dollars to the State of Illinois.

The several points are to be taken issue with, however. Pollution involves more than just

air. In an article dated Sept. '89 of the IA Waltonian, the Izaak Walton League of America is not so certain. To quote Paul Hansen, director of the IWLA, "Their (LeClaire) assurances that the project will not harm the river environment stand in sharp contrast to consistent reports that the applicant has refused to incorporate many important techniques to avoid, minimize or mitigate impacts on fish as suggested by Illinois, Iowa and U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service biologists." The Izaak Walton League has been granted intervenor status by the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC).

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PANCAKE BREAKFAST MARCH 25th

There is still time to get your advance tickets for the Pancake Breakfast to be held on Sunday, March 25th, from 7 - 11, at the Fire Station.

It is an "all-you-can-eat" affair of pancakes, eggs, sausage, juice and coffee. All this for the advance fee of \$2.50 for adults; \$1.50 for kids. At the door, it's only 25¢ higher or \$2.75 an adult and \$1.75 for kids. A bargain at either price and you get to help with a worthy cause to boot.

Come have breakfast with your neighbor!

SALAD BUFFET & BUNCO PARTY DATE SET!

In place of their monthly meeting April 9th, the Ladies Fire Auxiliary will be hosting a *Bunco-Salad Buffet*. Just \$4.00 will buy you a complete salad spree and an evening of fun and games. There will be door prizes and an opportunity to get in on their raffle. Set your schedule for 6:00 PM on Thursday, the 9th of APRIL to be at the Fire Station!

LOCAL ROTARY HOLDS AUCTION

The River Cities Rotary Club is holding an Auction on the 6th of May at the Quinn Carrousel. If you wish to donate any items, please contact Duward Inch at the Port Byron State Bank, 523-2161. A receipt may be obtained for tax purposes. Proceeds, of course, go to the many worthy causes the Club supports - Black Hawk College scholarship, Exchange Students, Upper Rock Island County Recreation Assoc., Easter Seals, and many others. Lunch that day will be at 12:00; the auction at 1:00.-

LIBRARY BOARD PROMOTES BALLOON LAUNCH APRIL 28

For the Spring Promotional, the Library Board elected to host a *Balloon Launch* with its' own Clown. The event is set for April 28th at the hill location of 12th Ave. & 6th St. The Bookmobile will be there at the usual time of 10-12A.M. The *LAUNCH* is scheduled for 10:30.

The East Moline Public Library is in the process of organizing a Friends-of-the-Library program.



Girl Scouts Hold Craft & Bake Sale

Saturday, April 7th, the Girl Scouts of Troup 2084 will hold an Easter Crafts & Bake Sale from 9-12 at the Community Federal Bank. The girls are trying to earn enough money for their summer trip to Savanna. This will be a good way for you to obtain some Easter goodies in your home without the effort!



MEETING ON HYDRO ELEC. PLANT MARCH 15th

Another public meeting is scheduled for Thursday, March 15th at 7:00 P.M. The meeting will be held at our own Village Hall.

The installation of such a plant is of vital concern to us all - be it located on or about our own property or not.

In a town of our size with its unique qualities, what happens to one of us, happens to us all.

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PTA PIZZA SALES

Lee Hansemann

PTA meetings are usually held on the last Thursday of every month at the School. However, for the month of March, the meeting will be held on March 20th at 10:00 a.m. Everyone is welcomed to attend.

PTA is holding a Pizza Fund Raiser. The children are now in the process of taking orders and all orders must be in by MARCH 16th. The Pizzas being offered are Cheese \$5.00, Sausage \$5.50, Pepperoni \$5.50, Canadian Bacon \$6.75, and Supreme \$6.95. The Pizzas can be picked up at the School on MARCH 24th from 10:00a.m. to 1:00 p.m. If you want Pizzas, you can order from any School student or call Lee Hansemann at 496-9721 or Mary Verdict at 496-9539, or call the school. All proceeds will be going to the School. Pizzas are paid for when picked up!



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HISTORICAL SOCIETY

The Hampton Historical Society (HHS) held its' March meeting at the Quinn Carrousel Musician/Folklorist Joe Nobel- ing entertained the group with stories, and tunes from the early settlers of Illinois. His talents were expressed on a variety of instruments from the mandolin, guitar, and fiddle to a foot stompin' rendition on the harmonica.

It was interesting to note, that even though the times were harsh, there were so many songs of that era that were absolutely lively and gay.

At the business meetings it was decided to meet with the village board regarding the historic Ginkgo tree and to offer assistance in keeping it alive.

The floor in the basement of the Brettun and Black Museum will need to be replaced. Various treatments were discussed.

POST OFFICE

FORGOTTEN SERVICES

Sometimes we forget just all of the services from which we could benefit through our local Post Office. Postmistress, Barbara Miller wants us to know that it is not a bother to her for you to call and have her look up a zip code (area codes are listed in the blue pages of your phone directory), or just answer a question.

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HAMPTON SCHOOL

Sue Stidham, School Sec'y

Hampton School would like to thank everyone for donating their Eagle's sales slips. To date the school had collected \$46,000 in sales slips. Our goal has been set at \$80,000. This is enough to purchase one computer and several pieces of software. We have drop boxes for the sales slips located at Community Federal Bank, J-Mart, the Post Office, and Quinn's. The last day to make purchases that will count toward computer products is June 3rd. We can still make it!

The school held Kindergarten Round-Up on March 6. If you missed it or was unable to attend, please call the school office, 755-0693. Your child must be 5 years of age before September 1st, have a certified birth certificate and a physical to begin school in the fall.

The 5th thru 8th grade boys and girls have just completed a successful basketball season. Everyone is looking forward to track. Track practice begins on March 19th. The children will be running on some of the streets in Hampton, so please "watch out" for that child.

Looking to the month of April, the school is preparing for their achievement, state and district testing. During the month of April, the school will be closed for Easter Break, April 9th-13th. School will resume April 16th. Pre-School Screening will be held on April 24th for all pre-school children 3 years and up living in the Hampton School District.

If you have any questions, please contact the school.



HAMPTON YOUTH COMMITTEE

Gerry Walker

This is a very busy time of the year for the Hampton Youth Committee. Soccer will soon be in full swing, adult volleyball in starting, and plans for softball are being made.

We will be sponsoring a soccer clinic on March 31st from 1-4. It will be held at the soccer field, by the ball diamonds, in Illiniwek Park.

Any boy or girl from the age of 6 to 12, who wants to play soccer this spring and has not signed up may do so by contacting Lynn Colberg, Soccer Coordinator, at 496-9894.

Any adult wishing to play volleyball may join us at 6:30 any Tues. or Thurs. evening. Volleyball will start on March 14th at the Hampton School gym.

March 24th is the day to sign up for this summer's softball program. Boys and girls who will be 7 by Dec. 1st through graduating seniors are eligible to play. We will be at Hampton School from 10 to 2 to sign you up. If you have any questions, please call Gerry Walker, Softball Coordinator, at 496-2666.

Our annual Easter Egg Hunt will be held on April 14th. Kids 5 and under will hunt at Carl Munson Park at 1:00 and kids K-5th grade will hunt at Hampton River Park at 2:00.

We grant a scholarship to a graduating senior every year. At this time we are selling tickets for our scholarship fund drawing. The first prize is \$50, the second and third prizes are \$25 each. If you aren't asked to purchase a ticket and would like to, please help us help our kids!

The Youth Committee officers and directors are: Tere Huber, Pres.; Sarah Bradshaw, V-Pres. Sue Stidham, Sec'y; Vicki Cove-maker, Treas.; Gerry Walker, Softball Coordinator; Lynn Colberg, Soccer Coordinator; Linda Akers, Adult Coordinator; Steve Horst, Denise DeBaillie, Jean Ward, Misy & Duane Passno, Ed Bradshaw, Sue King, & Craig Meeske.

"GRAND LADY'S" FATE IN JEOPARDY

By now everyone in the village (and the Continental USA) has heard about the Chinese Ginkgo situated behind the Village Hall. It appears she has received a stay of execution.

At a special meeting, the town board, the owner, neighbors, and interested group leaders gathered at Village Hall to achieve a workable compromise to keep her most annoying features to a minimum. The Historical Society will host a fund raising project to pay for the expenses of removing dead limbs and pruning overcrowded limbs. Marv Folker, owner of Marv's Tree Service, also suggested doing some cableing for support and protection.

The worst mess the Ginkgo makes is in the fall when the leaves and fruit fall. It is at this point that the tree becomes unmanageable and where help will be needed. The flat fan like leaves do not rake or burn. Experience has found that they can be picked up with a hay fork. It is necessary to wear boots and old clothing. Now do we have volunteers? With all respect, owner, Rick Gillespie was not seeking help to do his yard work. He merely felt her time

was reaching the end of its' lifespan and he was just drawing it to a close a bit sooner. He never once realized the lives she touched, or that clubs centered about the ancient variety. In his shoes, who can say what we might do. But the issue is, volunteers are needed in the clean-up process. Marv Folker has offered his truck to be at the disposal of the village for hauling off the leaves.

Just a little more history on Madam Ginkgo. She was planted in 1854 by Francis Black during a village ceremony. Despite her age, she only recently had produced young. Currently there is a 10' sappling that Rick has given to the village and plans are being made to move it to the River Park.

The tree has sustained three separate strikes by lighting.

The Chinese consider the fruit medicinal and go through quite a procedure of harvesting and processing it. The nut in the center is considered a delicacy to the Chinese. It is said to taste like corn. But, I'd wager, no villager in the girl's 150 yr. history has clothespinned his nose long enough to test the adage.

The leaves, more often than not, will fall in a very short period of time - from a few days to just a few hours. Over the years bets have been taken as to when she will drop her load.

The lady is believed to be the largest Ginkgo in the United States. There is a actual Ginkgo Society of 212 members who diligently crisscross the nation, with car windows down, sniffing for yet another discovery of an unchartered Ginkgo. Could it be that one day the *Grand Lady* will be nosed out by a bigger tree?



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5 RECEIVE EMT-I RATINGS

The Fire Department awarded 5 Emergency Medical Technician-Intermediate (EMT-I) patches at their Feb. 22nd meeting. Those receiving the awards were Nancy Norin, Rick Norin, Jim Sears, Keith Ward, and Bill Watson.

The training period involves nine months of not only classroom studies but hands on experience in emergency rooms and on ambulance calls. They must then pass a rigid state test to receive certification

At present, the department also has two EMT-P (Paramedic). They are Craig Haigh, Hampton's Director, and Steve Carmack. To achieve paramedic status, an additional 18 months of education and training are required. At this level, actual experience in operating rooms, laboratories, and labor & delivery rooms are added to the classroom work and ambulance duty.



In an emergency, our fire department is classified as "first responders" meaning they are dispatched before the Illini Ambulance. With their training, they have the ability to not only sustain life but to proceed with critical advanced life support techniques when critical minutes count. Just a few, short minutes can greatly effect the quality a persons life.

And here's a comforting thought to leave you with - even if the Rescue Unit is dispatched, both of the fire trucks are equiped with all of the exact same life support equipment and the staff is deeply enough trained that they can respond to multiple calls with equal effectiveness.

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Currently, the Hampton Police Force is understaffed, but, replacements are being sought. Along with Police Chief Ott, we have Officers David Hayes, Doug Riggs, and Scott Watsinger.

Things to watch for in the near future will be the forming of a Neighborhood Watch Program. The PTA has expressed interest and Terry is obtaining some information on the subject. To be effective, it will have to be a village-wide campaign.

Remember - we are now on the 911 emergency hook-up. 911 will be your speediest response to a crisis situation! Call 974-9111 if you need to talk to an officer but the reason is not critical. If you wish to talk to a Hampton Officer, call 496-9123. You will hear a recording, leave the time, your name, and phone number. An Officer will get back to you as soon as he returns to the office. 911 will dispatch him immediately.

ANNOUNCEMENTS:

BIRTHDAYS:

We wish to extend belated birthday greetings to *Anne Eliza Haertjens* who celebrated her 80th birthday on February 12th. That's wonderful, Liza, many, many more.

Happy Birthday, too, to little *Joshua Allen Day*, son of Tammy and Dick Day. Josh will be "one" year old on April 6th.

WEDDING DATE SET

CORRIE SUE STOTMEISTER will marry *KENT TJOSTOV MOEN* on April the 6th. Corrie is the daughter of Gary & Vicki Stotmeister, previously from Hampton. Kent is the son of Dr. Egil & Susan Moen. Local grandparents are Milton & Blanche Stotmeister. BEST WISHES FOR A VERY HAPPY LIFE TOGETHER!

ILLNESSES

JACK CODER has been hospitalized. We wish him a speedy recovery.

JULIE PASSINI's baby daughter, *Renee Oliver*, was born Dec. 30th, 1990. She was born with heart problems and had to be transferred to Peoria for open heart surgery on Jan. 22. But good news, *Renee* got home Feb. 23rd and *Julie* said she is doing just fine.

DEATHS

We were so sorry to hear that *DENISE McDOWELL* passed away. Along with her husband, Denise leaves behind a 6 yr. old son and a 4 yr. old

daughter. The McDowells often attended Hampton functions. The family lives in Cedar Brooke.

GIRL SCOUT COOKIES ARE BEING
DELIVERED SOON

This month we don't have too much in the announcements. Please advise us of happenings in the community. We would like to have information of college graduates and service personnel. Regarding announcements we have already missed, we will go back to January of 1990. See page 15, Goals.



RECIPE - THE - MONTH

FRESH SPINACH SALAD

1/2 bag	Spinach, chunk cut
6	Green Onions, choppe
6 slices	Bacon, fried crisp,
	drained & crumbled
2	Eggs, hard boiled &
	diced
10	Fresh Mushrooms
	sliced (opt)
4 oz.	Poppy Seed Dressing
	or to taste)

Toss together in bowl. Serves four. Best when eaten fresh & not as leftover.

EARLY FIRST ISSUE

This first issue of the *Towne Crier* has been rushed to accommodate activities already in progress. Please forgive our many errors as we are still trying to learn our machinery (it eats programs). We will earnestly try to make fewer mistakes but bare with us - we're just novices without any formal training.

In the future, issues will be mailed around the 23rd.

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APOLOGIES TO HAMPTON
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Other information on area churches (as we received info.) on page 12.



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Chicken Fillet	\$2.40
Homemade Tenderloin	\$3.25

Extras

Cheese	\$.25
Lettuce	\$.25
Tomato	\$.25
Sour Cream	\$.25

Dinners

Shrimp Dinner (20-25 Shrimp)	\$5.00
Chicken Dinner (4 Piece)	\$5.00
(Dinners include bread & French Fries)	
Catfish Dinners (Fridays Only)	\$5.95
(includes 2 whole catfish, bread, french fries, lemon, & cole slaw)	

Chicken Only

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9 Piece	\$9.00
15 Piece	\$14.00
21 Piece	\$19.00

White or Dark Meat Only

Chicken Dinner (4 Piece)	\$6.00
9 Piece	\$11.00
15 Piece	\$16.00
21 Piece	\$21.00

Tacos

Tacos (order of 3)	\$3.25
Tacos with Tomatoes	\$3.50
Taco Salad	\$3.75

Side Orders

French Fries	\$1.00
Onion Rings	\$1.25
Mushrooms	\$1.95
Cole Slaw	Large \$1.49 Small \$.49
6 Pack (Pepsi, Diet Pepsi, Mountain Dew)	\$2.50

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EMERGENCY 911

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY
1 April Fools' Day DAYLIGHT SAVINGS TIME BEGINS	2	3 7:15 River Cities' Rotary-Luciani's 2:30-4:45 Bookmobile Meth. Church 7:00 Fire Dept. Mtg. Station	4
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15 EASTER See page 12 for church schedules	16 7:30 Libraby Bd. Village Hall	17 7:15 River Cities' Rotary - Luciani's 2:30-4:45 Bookmobile Meth. Church 7:00 Fire Dept. Mtg. Station	18
22 6:00 Ben Markley Concert Wildwood Bapt. NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK 22-28	23 7:00 Village Board Mtg. Vil. Hall	24 7:15 River Cities' Rotary-Luciani's 2:30-4:45 Bookmobile Meth. Church 7:00 Fire Dept. Mtg. Station 7:00 School Bd. Mtg. Hampton Sch.	25
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12 6:00 Seder Meal 7:30 Confesional Service - Zion Lutheran	13 GOOD FRIDAY 6am-6-pm Vigil Hamp. Methodist Church 7:00 Worship Zion Lutheran	14 10-12 Bookmobile Hill Loc. 1:00 Easter Egg Hunt 5 & under Munson PK 2:00 Easter Egg Hunt K-5th River Park	
19 6:00 BUNCO-SALAD BUFFET Station House-Auxiliary EVERYONE WELCOME	20	21 10-12 Bookmobile Hill loc.	
26 6:30 PTA Gym	27	28 8-5 VILLAGE-WIDE YARD SALE & OPEN HOUSES 10-12 Bookmobile 10:30 BALLOON LAUNCH Hill loc. 12th ave & 6th St.	



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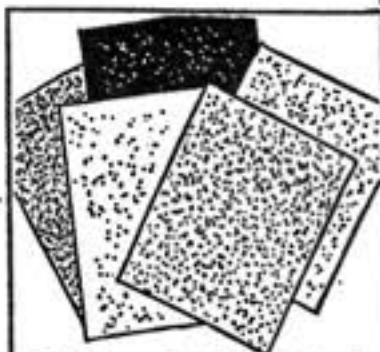


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LeCLAIRE TO PUT HYDRO ELECTRIC PLANT AT HAMPTON'S FRONT DOOR AND RUN THE POWER LINES DOWN HER BACKYARD!

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Outdoor America Spring of '89 addresses the issue of the mortality to fish - 77,000 in just a few months - at other Hydro Plants. As the article points out, this would be a detriment to human and bird fishing. This is coupled with the very real fear of more hydro plants occupying the other lock and dams along the Mississippi. Unless serious consideration is given, we could see dramatic changes in the fish stock.

Although LeClaire assures us that they will put underground power lines through the Eagle sanctuary, they admit that they will have to clear roosting trees in order to do this. The path will have to be healthy enough to move equipment in and to maintain service work. I can't believe, that an Eagle who can spot a mouse from 300 foot in the air, isn't going to notice. Eagles do return to the same nests year after year. Is the arbitrary line able to miss these nests? Can work be completed within the time frame that the eagles are away from our area?

And what of the pollution to human life when suddenly the power lines go above ground as they reach private homes? The jury is still out on the damage done to the human system. In *Business Week* Oct. 30, '89, reports that electromagnetic radiation from power lines - and other electronic gear - may be a health hazard. "About 15 surveys from around the world have cited an increased incidence of certain forms of cancer, especially brain tumors and leukemia, among electrical workers, telephone-line repairers, and others who are frequently exposed to powerful EMF (Electromagnetic Fields)

To address the issue of needing additional power supplies, again the *Outdoor America* magazine states to there being a surplus of electricity. We have operations already constructed that are running at reduced power. LeClaire believes they will be able to produce for less but they are unable to come up with any range of figures.

As always in a village this small, what effects one of us really effects us all. Loss of revenue from the TIF district will be directly felt by one and all. The mosquito hatchery will indirectly effect us all. According to Lane Evans, petitions will not help deter the matter. Individual letters (not mimeograph copies that everyone sends) to the appropriate persons get the job done.



PUBLIC MEETING

A public meeting will be held March 28, at 6:30 at the Village Hall to discuss the proposed amendment to Article 5 of Title 9 dealing with electrical power lines. The proposed amendment will control the amount of watts a line can maintain and put limits on the height of power lines in the village.



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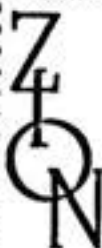
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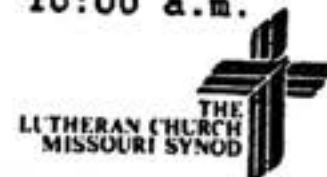
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PARK BOARD BUDGETS IMPROVEMENTS

Several areas of improvement were discussed at the budget meeting. The playground on the hill will receive fencing this year, the water line will be put in the River Park, and the woodchip walking path will be continued.

As soon as weather allows, the inmates from the correctional center will start cleaning and brushing-out the River Park. Plans are to add dirt mounds between the light poles. Trees will be transferred from the nursery to the mounds and prairie grasses and flowers will border them.

Now would be an excellent time to "adopt-a-lot-". The inmates will take much of the scrub brush away and the unwanted weeds will not have had a chance to get a good hold.

Many of the lots are available. Call Jeanne McKay 755-6731 after 6:00. Other Park Comm. members are Sandy Carmack and Tony Columbia.

BOOSTER CLUB

Gerry Walker

The Hampton Booster Club wants to thank the girls and boys of the 7th and 8th grade, 5th and 6th grade, and the Jr. Panther basketball teams who participated in the recent Shoot-A-Thon. Thanks to their hard work, a total of \$4,184.00 was realized. This could not have been possible without the support of relatives and friends. Once again, *thank you*, one and all.

New uniforms are being purchased for both the girls and boys 7th and 8th grade teams. Needed track equipment is also being purchased along with other miscellaneous items for basketball.

Track will be starting on March 19th with an intersquad meet scheduled for April 7th at the school. Why not drop in and cheer them on!



AUXILIARY PRESENTS CHECK

On Tuesday, February 20th, Sandy Carmack, President of the Fire Department Auxiliary presented a \$1,000 check to Fire Chief, Bill Kruse. The proceeds will be applied toward the purchasing of a *Jaws-of-Life*. With this contribution, the dept. is within very, close reach of its' goal. Bill expressed the departments gratitude knowing the hours of work the money represents. Anyone wishing to make a donation to the project should contact Nancy Norin 755-1648.



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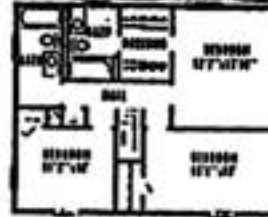
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We also hope to receive reports from the volunteer organizations, school, and churches. We encourage reader input in areas of community concern and involvement. We will be featuring a "Recipe-of-the-Month" and hope many of you will share your favorite dishes. We would even like to print original, short stories, poems, amusing true-life experiences. Limited to 500 word-text.

We hope you will make this your paper! Mail reports to Ye Olde Towne Crier, 1217 8th St. Ct., Hampton, IL 61256. Announcements may be phoned in to 496-2668. Materials you wish returned should have a self addressed stamped envelope or stop by and I will make a photocopy.

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